April 8 That the said Treasurer pay to William Hyde eighty six pounds Liber C. B. No. 24 eleven shillings and five pence of the same Emission per Certificates p. 255 adjusted and passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Samuel Thomas 3<sup>rd</sup> sixty two pounds, thirteen shillings and one penny of the same Emission due on Certificates issued agreeable to the "Act to adjust the Debts due from this State" and also the further sum of eighty five pounds, two shillings and five of the same Bills to be delivered over as follows, fifty one pounds, one Shilling and ten pence to John Thomas and thirty four pounds and seven pence to John Pancost due them per Accounts passed—

That the Commissary of Provisions deliver to Hercules Courtenay one thousand four hundred and eighty five and a half bushels of Wheat in Montgomery County in payment of a Certificate issued agreeable to the Act to adjust the Debts due from this State for two hundred and ninety seven pounds two shillings and two pence with Interest

Commission issued to Edward Downes appointed Coronor in Queen Anns County.—

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## [Council to Honble Intendant.]

The State owes Hercules Courtenay 486.10.0, which comes under the Clause in the Supply Bill, appropriating £20,000 in Specifics for the Discharge of Debts of a particular Description. We have referred M<sup>r</sup> Courtenay to you, to receive one Half his Claim

Ibid.

## [Council to Capt. John Reid.]

William Davis of your Company, sets forth in a Petition to this Board that he had your Promise for his Discharge, upon his procuring another sufficient Man to serve in his Room. That he accordingly procured at his own Expence, a James Dunsworth, to whom he agreed to give £30. and paid one Dollar, and delivered him in your Absence, to your Lieutenant, which Man was afterwards reinlisted by your Officers, and Davis himself detained. We have agreed, in Case you allow this to be a true State of the Case, that Davis should be discharged, upon his procuring another Man to serve in his Stead. We by no Means approve of the Practice of discharging Men on the present Terms, and desire that this may be the last Instance in your Company.—

Ibid.

## [Council to Honble Intendant.]

In December last, M<sup>r</sup> McBryde Commissary of Somerset County, wrote us that he had sent by Capt. Handy 46,420<sup>lbs</sup> of Beef in Bulk, which we ordered to be delivered to M<sup>r</sup> Crisall, by whose Receipt it appears, there was a Deficiency of 8,709<sup>lbs</sup> On the 25<sup>th</sup> of the same Month Charles Blake Commissary of Queen Ann's, forwarded by